

House Amendment 1231

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1 1 Amend House File 768 as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 1, by inserting before line 1 the
1 3 following:
1 4 <Section 1. NEW SECTION. 514C.24 COVERAGE FOR
1 5 TESTS FOR FEMALE INSUREDS.
1 6 1. This Act shall be known and may be cited as
1 7 "Barbara's Bill".
1 8 2. Notwithstanding the uniformity of treatment
1 9 requirements of section 514C.6, a contract, policy, or
1 10 plan providing for third-party payment or prepayment
1 11 of health or medical expenses that provides coverage
1 12 for hospital or medical treatment or services for
1 13 illness shall provide coverage for the following:
1 14 a. An annual cervical smear or Pap smear test for
1 15 female insureds.
1 16 b. Surveillance tests for ovarian cancer for
1 17 female insureds who are at risk for ovarian cancer.
1 18 3. This section applies to the following classes
1 19 of third-party payment provider contracts, policies,
1 20 or plans delivered, issued for delivery, continued, or
1 21 renewed in this state on or after January 1, 2010:
1 22 a. Individual or group accident and sickness
1 23 insurance providing coverage on an expense-incurred
1 24 basis.
1 25 b. An individual or group hospital or medical
1 26 service contract issued pursuant to chapter 509, 514,
1 27 or 514A.
1 28 c. An individual or group health maintenance
1 29 organization contract regulated under chapter 514B.
1 30 d. An individual or group Medicare supplemental
1 31 policy, unless coverage pursuant to such a policy is
1 32 preempted by federal law.
1 33 e. A plan established pursuant to chapter 509A for
1 34 public employees.
1 35 4. This section shall not apply to accident-only,
1 36 specified disease, short-term hospital or medical,
1 37 hospital confinement indemnity, credit, dental,
1 38 vision, long-term care, basic hospital and
1 39 medical-surgical expense coverage as defined by the
1 40 commissioner, disability income insurance coverage,
1 41 coverage issued as a supplement to liability
1 42 insurance, workers' compensation or similar insurance,
1 43 or automobile medical payment insurance.
1 44 5. As used in this section:
1 45 a. "At risk for ovarian cancer" means either of
1 46 the following:
1 47 (1) Having a family history of one or more of the
1 48 following:
1 49 (a) One or more first-degree relatives with
1 50 ovarian cancer.
2 1 (b) Clusters of female relatives with breast
2 2 cancer.
2 3 (c) Nonpolyposis colorectal cancer.
2 4 (2) Testing positive for BRCA1 or BRCA2 mutations.
2 5 b. "Surveillance tests for ovarian cancer" means
2 6 annual screening using CA-125 serum tumor marker
2 7 testing, transvaginal ultrasound, and pelvic
2 8 examination.
2 9 6. The commissioner of insurance shall adopt rules
2 10 pursuant to chapter 17A as necessary to administer
2 11 this section.>
2 12 #2. Title page, line 1, by inserting after the
2 13 word <Act> the following: <relating to the treatment
2 14 of cancer by requiring health insurance coverage for
2 15 cervical and ovarian cancer tests and by>.
2 16 #3. By renumbering as necessary.
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